# COMPILATION OF PREVIOUS NATIONAL WINNERS OF THE U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY'S

# **CLEAN WATER ACT RECOGNITION AWARDS**

# 1986-2005

# **CATEGORIES ARE:**

OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXCELLENCE

EXEMPLARY BIOSOLIDS MANAGEMENT

PRETREATMENT EXCELLENCE

STORM WATER MANAGEMENT EXCELLENCE

COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOW CONTROL PROGRAM EXCELLENCE

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# CWA Recognition Awards Compilation of Previous National Winners, 1986 - 2005

#### <u>CATEGORY: NATIONAL OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXCELLENCE AWARDS</u>

#### FIRST PLACE LARGE ADVANCED PLANT

1986: Kokomo Wastewater Treatment Plant, Municipal Sanitation District, Kokomo, IN

1987: Palo Alto Water Quality Control Facility, Palo Alto, CA

1988: Village Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Fort Worth, TX

1989: Neuse River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Raleigh, NC

1990: Piscataway Wastewater Treatment Plant, Accokeek, MD

1991: Warren Wastewater Treatment Plant, Warren, MI

1992: J. B. Gifford Wastewater Treatment Facility, Michigan City, IN

1993: Drake Water Reclamation Facility, Fort Collins, CO

1994: Cross Creek Water Reclamation Facility, Fayetteville, SC

1995: Stamford Water Pollution Control Facility, Stamford, CT

1996: Pole Bridge Creek Water Pollution Control Plant, DeKalb County, GA

**1997:** Western Branch Wastewater Treatment Plant, Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Upper Marlboro, MD

1998: Town of Amherst Wastewater Treatment Plant No. 16, Amherst, NY

1999: York City Wastewater Treatment Plant, York, PA

2000: San Jose/Santa Clara Water Pollution Control Plant, San Jose, CA

2001: Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Plant, Englewood, CO

2002: City of Dallas, Southside Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dallas, TX

2003: South Cobb Water Reclamation Facility, Mableton, GA

2004: Dos Rios Water Recycling Center, San Antonio Water Systems, San Antonio, TX

**2005:** Durham Advanced Wastewater Treatment Facility Clean Water Services, Tigard, OR Metro Wastewater Reclamation District, Denver CO (**tie**)

#### SECOND PLACE LARGE ADVANCED PLANT CATEGORY

No second place awards prior to 1988

1988: Fairfield-Suisun Sewer District, Suisun City, CA

1989: San Jose/Santa Clara Water Pollution Control Plant, San Jose, CA

1990: The Aurora Sanitary District, Aurora, IL

1991: Pittsfield Wastewater Treatment Plant, Pittsfield, MA

1992: Vernon Thorpe Water Quality Control Plant, Central Point, OR

1993: John E. Egan Water Reclamation Plant, Schaumburg, IL

1994: City of Wichita Sewage Treatment Plant No.2, Wichita, KS

1995: South Austin Region Wastewater Treatment Plant, Austin, TX

1996: Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Plant, Englewood, CO

1997: Metro Wastewater Reclamation District, Denver, CO

1998: Village Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Forth Worth, TX

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- 1999: South Columbus Water Resource Facility, Columbus, GA
- 2000: President Street Water Pollution Control Plant, Savannah, GA
- 2001: Central Regional Wastewater System, Trinity River Authority, Grand Prairie, TX
- 2002: Lancaster Area Sewer Authority (Susquehanna Water Pollution Control, Lancaster, PA
- 2003: Rockaway Valley Regional Sewerage Authority, Boonton, NJ
- 2004: James C. Kirie Water Reclamation Plant, Des Plaines, IL
- **2005**: Blue Lake Wastewater Treatment Plant, Metropolitan Council Environmental Services (MCES), Shakopee, MN
- **1991 Honorable Mention:** Clark County Sanitation District Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant, Las Vegas, NV

#### FIRST PLACE MEDIUM ADVANCED PLANT

- **1986:** Statesboro Wastewater Treatment Plant, Statesboro, GA
- 1987: Wastewater Reclamation Facility, Breckenridge Sanitation District, Breckenridge, CO
- 1988: Little Choctawhatchee Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dothan, AL
- 1989: Austin Wastewater Treatment Facility, Austin MN
- 1990: Marshfield Wastewater Utility, Marshfield, WS
- **1991:** Odo J. Riedel Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Cibolo Creek Municipal Authority, Schertz, TX
- 1992: Louisville Wastewater Treatment Plant, Louisville, CO
- 1993: Spencer Wastewater Treatment Facility, Spencer, IA
- 1994: Falkenburg Road Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant, Hillsborough County, FL
- 1995: Bridgewater Wastewater Treatment Plant, Bridgewater MA
- 1996: McPherson Wastewater Treatment Facility, McPherson, KS
- 1997: Wallingford Wastewater Treatment Plant, Wallingford, CT
- 1998: Fremont Sanitation District, Florence, CO
- 1999: Sweetwater Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Douglasville, GA
- 2000: Plum Creek Wastewater Authority, Plant No.1 Castle Rock, Colorado
- 2001: Metropolitan Council Stillwater Wastewater Treatment Plant, Oak Park Heights, MN (tie)
- 2001: City of Rutland Wastewater Treatment Plant, Rutland, VT
- **2002:** City of Louisville Wastewater Treatment Plant, Louisville, CO
- 2003: Kalispell Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant, Kalispell, MT
- 2004: City of Dunbar Sanitary Board, Dunbar, WVA
- **2005:** Mount Holly Water Pollution Control Facility, Mount Holly, NJ Northwest Water Reclamation, Kennesaw, GA (**tie**)

#### SECOND PLACE MEDIUM ADVANCED PLANT

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No second place awards prior to 1988.

1988: Smithfield Wastewater Treatment Facility, Smithfield, RI

1989: Tahoe-Truckee Sanitation Agency, Truckee, CA

1990: Aspen Consolidated Sanitation District, Aspen, CO

1991: Johnson City Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Johnson City, TN

1992: Green Forest Wastewater Treatment Plant, Green Forest, AR

1993: Verona Wastewater Treatment Plant, Verona, NJ

1994: Hillsboro Facility of Unified Sewerage Agency, Hillsboro, OR (tie)

1994: City of Moorhead Wastewater Treatment Facility, Moorhead, MN

1995: Blue River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Silverthorne, CO

1996: Elmwood Wastewater Treatment Facility, Evesham MUA, Marlton, NJ

**1997:** City of Medford, WI

1998: Dyer Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dyer, IN (tie)

**1998:** Seneca Wastewater Treatment Plant, Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Germantown, MD

1999: Westborough Wastewater Treatment Facility, Westborough, MA (tie)

1999: Inland Empire Utilities Agency-Regional Plant No. 2, Chino, CA

2000: Zeeland Wastewater Treatment Plant, City of Zeeland, MI

2001: Fairmont Wastewater Treatment Plant, Fairmont Sanitary Sewer Board, Fairmont, WVA

2002: Dale Mabry Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant, Tampa, FL

2003: New Canaan Water Pollution Control Facility, New Canaan, CT

2004: Iowa Hill Water Reclamation Plant, Breckenridge Sanitation District, Breckenridge, CO

2005: Wheaton Sanitary District, Wheaton, IL

# FIRST PLACE SMALL ADVANCED PLANT

1986: Spearfish Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant, Spearfish, SD

**1987:** Indian Hills Water Reclamation Plant, Jurupa Community Services District, Riverside, CA

1988: Snake River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dillon, CO

1989: Snake River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Dillon, CO

**1990:** Town of Waterville Valley, Waterville, NH

1991: Kingsland Municipal Utility District, Kingsland, TX

1992: Forest City Wastewater Treatment Facility, Forest City, IA

1993: Beaver Estates Water Pollution Control Plant, Douglasville, GA

1994: Pinery Water Reclamation Plant, Douglas County, CO

1995: Martinez II Wastewater Treatment Plant, Bexar County, TX

1996: Wrightstown Municipal Utility Authority, Wrightstown, NJ

**1997:** Hurlburt Field Wastewater Treatment Plant, Hurlburt Field Air Force Base, Okaloosa County, FL

1998: Watertown Wastewater Treatment Facility, Watertown, MN

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**1999:** Elk Mound Wastewater Treatment Plant, Elk Mound, WI

2000: Village of Sherman Wastewater Treatment Plant, Sherman, NY

2001: Denver S. E. Suburban Water & Sewer District (Pinery Water Reclam. Plant), Parker, CO

2002: South Berwick Sewer District, South Berwick, ME

2003: Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe, Isabella Reservation, Mt. Pleasant, MI

2004: Florence Regional Sewage District, Florence, IN

2005: Brownstown Wastewater Utility, Brownstown, IN

#### SECOND PLACE SMALL ADVANCED PLANT

No Second place awards prior to 1988.

1988: Indian Hills Water Reclamation Plant, Riverside, CA

1989: Flippin Wastewater Treatment Plant, Flippin, AR

1990: Kiel Wastewater Treatment Facility, Kiel, WI

1991: Westville-Belgium Treatment Facility, Westville, IL

1992: Plainview-Elgin Sanitary District Wastewater Treatment Facility, Plainview, MN

1993: Leicester Wastewater Treatment Facility, Leicester, MA

1994: Stowe Wastewater Treatment Facility, Town of Stowe, VT

1995: Little River Water Reclamation Plant, Fulton County, GA

1996: Wadena Wastewater Treatment Plant, City of Wadena, MN

**1997:** No winner selected.

1998: Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District #30, Fort Bend, TX

1999: Swedesboro Wastewater Treatment Plant, Borough of Swedesboro, NJ

2000: South Henry Regional Waste District, Lewisville, IN

2001: County of Berks Welfare Tract Sewage Treatment Plant, Bern Township, PA

2002: Town of Gorham Wastewater Treatment Facility, Ontario, NY

2003: Village of Johnson Wastewater Treatment Facility, Johnson, VT

**2004:** Beaver Estates Water Pollution Control Plant, Douglasville Douglas County Water & Sewer Authority, Douglasville, GA

2005: Village of Lima Wastewater Treatment Plant, Lima, NY

#### FIRST PLACE LARGE SECONDARY PLANT

**1986:** Southside Treatment Facility, Albuquerque, NM

1987: Atlantic Treatment Plant, Hampton Roads Sanitation District, Virginia Beach, VA

1988: Delta Diablo Sanitation District, Antioch, CA

1989: Renton Wastewater Treatment Plant, Renton, WA

**1990:** The City of Greeley Water Pollution Control Facility, Greeley, CO

1991: Great Falls Wastewater Treatment Plant, Great Falls, MT

**1992:** Dublin San Ramon Services District Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Pleasanton, CA

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1993: Orange County Sanitation Districts Plants #1 & #2, Fountain Valley, CA

1994: City of Omaha's Papillion Creek Plant, Omaha, NE

1995: Narragansett Bay Comm., Field's Point Wastewater Treatment Facility, Providence, RI

1996: Chambers Creek Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Pierce County, WA

1997: NE Ohio Regional Sewer District, Easterly Wastewater Treatment Plant, Cleveland, OH

1998: Nashua Wastewater Treatment Facility, Nashua, NH

1999: Appleton Wastewater Treatment Facility, Appleton, WI

2000: Lowell Regional Wastewater Utility, City of Lowell, MA

**2001:** No winner selected.

2002: Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners, Newark, NJ

**2003**: Buckman Wastewater Treatment Facility, Jacksonville Electric Authority, Jacksonville, FL- (**tie**)

2003: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA - (tie)

**2004:** Oceanside Treatment Plant, Southwest Outfall & Westside Wet Weather Facility, San Francisco, CA

2005: Lawrence Municipal Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lawrence, KS

#### SECOND PLACE LARGE SECONDARY PLANT

No second place awards prior to 1988.

1988: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA

1989: County Sanitation Districts of Orange County, Fountain Valley, CA

1990: Johnson City Brush Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Johnson City, TN

1991: York River Treatment Plant, Seaford, VA

1992: Missouri River Treatment Plant, Omaha, NE

1993: Stickney Water Reclamation Plant, Cicero, IL (tie)

**1993:** Greeley Water Pollution Control Facility, Greeley, CO

1994: Roberto R. Bustamante Wastewater Treatment Plant, El Paso, TX

1995: 91st Avenue Wastewater Treatment Plant, Tolleson, AZ

1996: Wildwood/Lower Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Cape May County MUA, NJ

1997: Springfield Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Springfield, MA

1998: Bissell Point Treatment Plant, Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District, St. Louis, MO

1999: No Winner Selected.

2000: Encina Wastewater Authority, Carlsbad, CA

**2001:** No winner selected.

2002: Evansville Eastside Treatment Facility, Evansville, IN

2003: Atlantic County Utilities Authority, Atlantic City, NJ

2004: No winner selected.

2005: No winner selected

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**1986:** East Providence Wastewater Treatment Facility, East Providence, RI

1987: Falmouth Water Pollution Control Facility, Falmouth, ME

1988: Rockfish Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Fayetteville, NC

1989: Lincoln Northeast Treatment Facility, Lincoln, NE

1990: Amherst Wastewater Treatment Facility, Hadley, MA

1991: Broomfield Wastewater Treatment Plant, Broomfield, CO

1992: Ocean City Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Cape May Court House, NJ

1993: Knob Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility, Johnson City, TN

1994: Duckett Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, St. Charles, MO

1995: Merrimack Wastewater Treatment Facility, Merrimack, NH

1996: Asbury Park Water Quality Control Facility, City of Asbury Park, NJ

1997: City of Fort Lupton, Fort Lupton, CO

1998: Mount Pleasant Waterworks-Center Street Wastewater Treatment Plant, Mt. Pleasant, SC

1999: Escanaba Wastewater Treatment Plant, Escanaba, MI

2000: Cape May Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Cape May Point, NJ

2001: Lebanon Wastewater Treatment Facility, City of Lebanon, NH

2002: City of Hamilton Wastewater Treatment Facility, Hamilton, MT

2003: Logan Township Municipal Utilities Authority, Bridgeport, NJ

2004: Central Davis Sewer District, Kaysville, UT

2005: Fountain Sanitation District, Fountain, CO

#### SECOND PLACE MEDIUM SECONDARY PLANT

No second place winners prior to 1988.

1988: Amherst Wastewater Treatment Plant, Amherst, MA

1989: Berlin Pollution Control Facility, Berlin, NH

1990: El Dorado Wastewater Treatment Facility, El Dorado, KS

1991: South Kingston Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Narragansett, RI

1992: Big Dry Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Westminster, CO

1993: Scarborough Sanitary District Treatment Facility, Scarborough, ME

1994: Gladewater Wastewater Treatment Plant, Gladewater, TX

1995: Northeast Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lincoln, NE

1996: Moundsville Wastewater Treatment Plant, Moundsville, WVA

1997: Valley Forge Sewer Authority, Phoenixville, PA

1998: Dartmouth Water Pollution Control Facility, Dartmouth, MA

1999: Brattleboro Wastewater Treatment Plant, Brattleboro, VT

2000: Richland Wastewater Treatment Facility, Richland, WA

2001: Elk River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Elk River, MN

2002: Escatawpa Wastewater Treatment Facility, Moss Point, MS

2003: South Kingstown Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Narragansett, RI

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2004: Gautier Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Pascagoula, MS

2005: No winner selected

#### FIRST PLACE SMALL SECONDARY PLANT

1986: Hebron Wastewater Treatment Facility, Hebron, NE

1987: Somerset-Barker Wastewater Treatment Facility, Barker, NY

1988: Noel Wastewater Treatment Plant, Noel, MO

1989: Yorkville-Bristol Sanitary District, Yorkville, IL

**1990:** Odell Sanitary District, Odell, OR

1991: Village of Saukville Wastewater Treatment Plant, Saukville, WI

1992: West Rutland Wastewater Treatment Facility, West Rutland, VT

1993: Chinook Wastewater Treatment Facility, Chinook, MT

1994: Appleton Municipal Wastewater Facility, Appleton, MN

1995: Custer Wastewater Treatment Plant, Custer, SD

1996: Missoula County Rural Special Improvement District #901, Lolo, MT

1997: Village of Speculator Wastewater Treatment Plant, Speculator, NY

1998: Cold Spring Wastewater Treatment Facility, Cold Spring, MN

1999: Oak Park Conservancy District, Jeffersonville, IN

2000: No winner selected.

2001: Troy/Jay Wastewater Treatment Facility, Troy, VT

2002: Amherst Wastewater Treatment Facility, Village of Amherst, WI

2003: Town of Antrim Wastewater Treatment Facility, Antrim. NH

**2004:** Old Forge Sewer District, Herkimer County, Old Forge, NY

2005: Newington New Hampshire Wastewater Treatment Plant, Newington, NH

#### SECOND PLACE SMALL SECONDARY PLANT

No second place awards prior to 1988.

1988: Grand Coulee-Electric City Wastewater Treatment Facility, Grand Coulee, WA

1989: Millbury Wastewater Treatment Plant, Millbury, MA

1990: Luneburg Fire District No. 2 Wastewater Treatment Facility, Gilman, VT

1991: Gorham Water Pollution Control Plant, Gorham, NH

1992: Lindsborg Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lindsborg, KS

1993: Charles E. Damour Wastewater Treatment Facility, Henniker, NH

1994: Coalville City Wastewater Treatment Plant, Coalville, UT

1995: Breese Sewage Treatment Plant, City of Breese, IL

1996: Blue Township Wastewater Treatment Facility, Manhattan, KS

**1997:** No winner selected.

1998: Wilton Wastewater Treatment Plant, Wilton, ME

1999: V. A. Togus Wastewater Treatment Facility, Togus, ME

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**2000:** No winner selected.

2001: Isle Royale National Park, Rock Harbor Wastewater Treatment Facility, Houghton, MI

2002: City of Louisville Sanitary Sewer Treatment Plant, Lineville, IA

2003: Town of Pine Bluffs Sewer, Pine Bluffs, WY

2004: Henniker Wastewater Treatment Plant, Henniker, NH

2005: Town of Canton Water Pollution Control Facility, Canton, CT

#### FIRST PLACE LARGE NON-DISCHARGING PLANT

This category was added in 1988.

1988: Tapia Water Reclamation Facility, Calabasas, CA

1989: City of Palm Springs Wastewater Treatment Plant, Palm Springs, CA

1990: W. B. Casey, Sr. Water Pollution Control Facility, Jonesboro, GA

1991: Michelson Water Reclamation Plant, Irvine, CA

**1992:** No winner selected.

1993: Dodge City Wastewater Treatment Facility, Dodge City, KS

1994: South Tahoe Public Utility District Wastewater Treatment Plant, South Lake Tahoe, CA

**1995:** Loxahatchee River Environmental Control District Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Jupiter, FL

1996: South Central Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Melbourne, FL

1997: City of Bartow Water Reclamation Facility, Bartow, FL

1998: Reedy Creek Improvement District, Lake Buena Vista, FL

1999: No winner selected.

**2000:** Dodge City Wastewater Treatment Facility, City of Dodge City, CA

2001: South Tahoe Public Utility District, South Lake Tahoe, CA

2002: Selma-Kingsburg-Fowler County Sanitation District, Kingsburg, CA

2003: Eielson Air Force Base Wastewater Treatment Facility, Eielson AFB, AK

2004: No winner selected.

2005: North Conway Wastewater Treatment Facility, North Conway, NH

#### SECOND PLACE LARGE NON-DISCHARGING PLANT

This category was added in 1988.

1988: Palm Springs Wastewater Treatment Plant, Palm Springs, CA

1989: Lamesa Wastewater Treatment Plant, Lamesa, TX

1990: Michelson Water Reclamation Plant, Irvine, CA

1991: No winner selected.

1992: No winner selected.

**1993:** No winner selected.

1994: Fred Hervey Water Reclamation Plant, El Paso, TX

1995: Santa Rosa Water Reclamation Facility, Murrieta, CA

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**1996:** No winner selected.

**1997:** No winner selected.

1998: No winner selected.

1999: No winner selected

2000: North City Water Reclamation Plant, San Diego, CA

2001: Orange County South Water Reclamation Facility, Orlando, FL

2002: City of Sturgis Wastewater Treatment Facility, Sturgis, SD

2003: No winner selected.

2004: No winner selected.

2005: No winner selected.

#### FIRST PLACE SMALL NON-DISCHARGING PLANT

This category was added in 1988.

1988: Kuna Wastewater Treatment Plant, Kuna, ID

1989: Forks Wastewater Treatment Plant, Forks, WA

1990: Moosehead Sanitary District, Greenville, ME

1991: Village of Boyd Wastewater Treatment Plant, Boyd, WI

**1992:** No winner selected.

1993: Eagle Lake Water & Sewer District Wastewater Treatment Facility, Eagle Lake, ME

1994: Redfield Wastewater Treatment Facility, Redfield, SD

1995: Aspens/Teton Pines Wastewater Treatment Plant, Teton County, WY

1996: North Branch Fire District #1, West Dover, VT

1997: Pelican Bay State Prison Wastewater Treatment Plant, Crescent City, CA

1998: Kahuku Wastewater Treatment Plant, Honolulu, HI

1999: Edgartown Wastewater Treatment Facility, Town of Edgartown, MA

2000: Vienna Land Application System, Vienna, GA

**2001:** No winner selected.

2002: No winner selected.

2003: Etowah Water & Sewer Authority, Dawsonville, GA

2004: No winner selected.

2005: South Blue River Wastewater Treatment Facility, Breckenridge Sanitation District,

Breckenridge, CO

#### SECOND PLACE SMALL NON-DISCHARGING PLANT

This category was added in 1988.

1988: Camp Point Wastewater Treatment Plant, Camp Point, IL

1989: Breezy Point Wastewater Treatment Plant, Breezy Point, MN

1990: Skier's Edge/Quandary Condo Wastewater Treatment Facility, Breckenridge, CO

1991: No winner selected.

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**1992:** No winner selected.

1993: Southeast Water Reclamation Facility, Orlando, FL

**1994:** No winner selected.

1995: Lakeside County Sewer District Wastewater Treatment Facility, Flathead County, MT

1996: Berry Creek Wastewater Treatment Plant, Georgetown, TX

1997: North County Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Vero Beach, FL

1998: Town of Ahoskie Wastewater Treatment Plant, Ahoskie, NC

**1999:** Breckenridge Sanitation District-S. Blue River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Breckenridge, CO

**2000:** No winner selected.

**2001:** No winner selected.

**2002**: No winner selected.

**2003:** No winner selected.

**2004:** No winner selected.

2005: No winner selected.

# **MOST IMPROVED PLANT** (John H. Samson Award)

The Most Improved Plant Award recognizes those plants which have demonstrated exceptional operations and maintenance improvements through EPA's On-site Technical Assistance Training Program, or other State training programs. The award category is for small, publicly-owned wastewater treatment facilities with a daily effluent discharge of less than 5 million gallons. On-site Assistance Trainers lead the plant staff to address problems in areas such as Clean Water Act non-compliance, operator and staff training and certification, process control and monitoring. The following plants and trainers received national recognition for their achievements. John Samson (deceased) was instrumental in developing the Most Improved Plant award for EPA.

#### 1990 NATIONAL WINNERS

**1st Place:** City of Clay Center Wastewater Department, Clay Center, KS Trainer: Tim Hobson, Salina Area Vocational-Technical School, Salina, KS

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Watson Wastewater Treatment Facility, Watson, MN

Trainer: Dwayne Nelson, Minnesota Water Pollution Control Agency, St. Paul, MN

#### 1991 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Snowflake Wastewater Facility, Snowflake, AZ Trainer: Fred Warren, Arizona State Environmental Technology Training Center, Tucson, AZ 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Buffalo Wastewater Treatment Plant, Buffalo, MN
Trainer: Russell J. Martin, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Chicago, IL

Honorable Mention: Elderton Sewage Treatment Plant, Elderton, PA

Trainer: Joseph Swanderski, Pennsylvania Department of Community Affairs, Harrisburg, PA

# 1992 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Fairfield Borough Municipal Authority Wastewater Treatment Facility, Fairfield, PA Trainer: Thomas J. Brown, Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Resources

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Andover Wastewater Treatment Plant, Andover, KS
Trainer: Charles Walker, Fort Scott Community College, KS

#### 1993 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Fredericktown Wastewater Treatment Plant, Fredericktown, OH Trainer: Russell J. Martin, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Chicago, IL

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Readsboro Wastewater Treatment Facility, Readsboro, VT Trainer: Paul Olander, Vermont Environmental Training Center

#### 1994 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: New Shoreham Wastewater Treatment Facility, New Shoreham, RI Trainer: Bill Patenaude, Rhode Island Department of Environmental Management

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Cedar Key Water Reclamation Facility, Cedar Key, FL Trainer: Edward Toby, III, University of Florida, TREEO Center

# 1995 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Munising Wastewater Treatment Plant, Munising, MI Trainer: Russell J. Martin, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Chicago, IL

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Snyder Wastewater Treatment Facility, Snyder, NE Trainer: Russ Irwin, Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality

#### 1996 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Sunapee Wastewater Treatment Plant, Sunapee, NH Trainer: Operations Section of the New Hampshire Dept. of Environmental Services

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2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Central Boaz Public Service District, Parkersburg, WVA Trainer: Bryan Bland, West Virginia Environmental Training Center

# 1997 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Richmond Wastewater Treatment Facility, Richmond, VT Trainer: Paul Olander, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Pleasant Valley Regional Sewer District, Chillicothe, OH Trainer: Ohio EPA's 104(g) Compliance Assistance Unit

#### 1998 NATIONAL WINNERS

1st Place: Mars Hill Utility District Wastewater Treatment Plant, Mars Hill, ME Trainers: Nick Archer and Donald Albert, Maine Department of Environmental Protection

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Dale Sanitary District #1, Dale, WI
Trainer: Harold Heavlin, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Chicago, IL

# 1999 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Town of Cederedge, Cederedge, CO
Trainer: Jon B. Evans, Carbondale Wastewater Treatment Plant, Carbondale, CO

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient:** Lyndonville Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lyndon, VT Trainer: Paul Olander, Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: Canal Winchester Wastewater Treatment Plant, Canal Winchester, OH Trainer: Ohio EPA Compliance Assistance Unit, Columbus, OH

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Waldo, Florida Wastewater Treatment Facility
Trainer: Edward M. Toby, III, CET, Univ. of Florida TREEO Center, Gainesville, FL

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Farmington Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant, (West) Farmington, MO Trainer: Michael Jefferson, College Environmental Resource Center Neosho, MO

# **2001 NATIONAL WINNERS**

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: Pickaway Correctional Institution Wastewater Treatment Plant, Orient, OH Trainer: Ohio EPA Compliance Assistance Unit, Columbus, OH

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Bancroft Wastewater Treatment Facility, Village of Bancroft, NE Trainer: Russell Irwin, Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality

2002 - No first or second place winners were selected.

#### **2003** NATIONAL WINNERS

**Sub-Category** 

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Lisbon Wastewater Treatment Facility, Lisbon, NH Trainer: New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Operations Section, Concord, NH

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: St. Joe-Spencerville Regional Sewer District, St. Joe, Indiana Trainer: David Denman, Indiana Department of Environmental Management, Indianapolis, IN

**2004** - No first or second place winners were selected.

<u>2005</u> – No first or second place winners were selected

Winner [Activity]

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Award\*/Year

# CATEGORY: NATIONAL EXEMPLARY BIOSOLIDS MANAGEMENT AWARDS

Operating Projects (>5MGD)		
( )	District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority (DCWASA)	
	, Biosolids Management Program, Washington, D.C.	1st 2005
	Metro Denver Wastewater Reclamation District - MetroGro	
	Denver, CO	1 <sup>st</sup> 2004 - tie
	Parker Ag Services - NYC Program, Lamar, CO	1 <sup>st</sup> 2004 - tie
	Clean Water Services of Washington County, Hillsboro, OR	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2004
	Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Facility, CO	1st 2003
	Merrimack Wastewater Treatment Facility, NH	1st 2002

Roanoke Regional WPCF, Roanoke, Virginia	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2002-tie
City of Largo, Wastewater Reclamation Facility, Virginia	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2002-tie
Anne Arundel County, MD DPW [Lime Stab, Land Ap]	1st 2001
San Jose/Santa Clara, CA WPCP [Ann Dig, Air Dry Landfill Cove	rl2 <sup>nd</sup> 2001
Merco Joint Venture, LLL, Sierra Blanca, TX [Contr Land Ap]	1st 2000
Unified Sewerage Agency, Washington Co, OR [Arid Land Ap]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2000
Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewer Dist [Milorganite, land ap]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1999
City of Portland, OR [Comp & Land Use]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1999
City of Tacoma, WA [Multiple, Team TAGRO]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1998
Western Carolina Regional Sewer Auth. [Multiple]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1998
City of Houston, TX [Heat Dry & Land Ap Lime Stab]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1997
Ducket Creek San Distr., St Charles, MO [Land Ap Aerobic Dig]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1997
King County, WA WPC Div [Farm & Forest]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1996
County San Distr of LA, CA [Diverse]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1996
City of Austin, TX, [Multiple Uses]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1995
Tacoma Utilities Services, WA [Land Ap, TAGRO Soil Mix]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1995
City of Los Angeles, CA [Multiple Uses]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1994
City of Columbus, OH [Multiple Uses]	$2^{nd}$
1994	
Clayton Co, Water Authority, GA [Heat Dry, Comp.]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1993
City of Austin Water & WW Util, TX [Comp, Air Dr]	$2^{nd}$
	1993
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Util. Dist., NC [Land Ap]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1992
Truckee Meadows Water Reclaim, Dist., CA [Land Ap]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1992
City of Omaha, NE [Land Appl.]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1991
Miami-Dade, FL [Air Dry, Composting, Marketing]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1991
Vallejo San. & Flood Control Dist., CA [Land Ap]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1990
Cape May County Mun. Util. Auth., NJ [Composting] 2 <sup>nd</sup> 19	
Hampton Roads, VA [Nutragreen - Land Ap., Comp.]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1989
Clayton Co., GA [Comp, Heat Dry, Tree Prod.]	tie 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1989
Pima County, AZ [Land Application]	tie 2nd 1989
Seattle Metro, WA [Forest & Ag. Land Use]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1988
San. Dist of Los Angeles Co., CA [Composting]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1988

<b>Sub-Category</b>	Winner [Activity]	Award*/Year
Operating		
Projects		
(< <b>5 MGD</b> )		
	Lawrence Municipal Wastewater Treatment Facility,	
	Lawrence, KS	1 <sup>st</sup> 2005
	West Jackson County Land Application Facility, Pascagoula, MS	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2005
	Central Davis Sewer District, Kaysville, UT	1 <sup>st</sup> 2004

Rockingham Wastewater Treatment Plant & Composting	
Facility, Rockingham, NC	2 <sup>nd</sup> 2004
No winners were selected.	1st 2003
Lower Colorado River Authority, Burnet, TX	$2^{nd}$ 2002
City of Hood River Wastewater Treatment Plant, Oregon	1st 2002
City of Gresham, OR [Ann Dig. Land Use]	1st 2001
Lexington, NC Regional WWTP Compost Facility	1st 2000
Dekalb County, GA Pole Bridge Creek Adv Sec Trt Fac [Land Ap]	$2^{nd}\ 2000$
City of Lenoir, NC Lower Creek WRF [blended Products]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1999
City of Washington, NC Water Resources DPW [Land Ap]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1999
Blue Heron Water Recl Facility, Titusville, FL [Mixed]	1st 1998
Freemont, NB Wastewater Trt Facility [Liquid Land Appl]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1998
Univ. Joint Auth., State College, PA [Composting]	1st 1997
Summerville, SC [Liquid Land Appl]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1997
Newton, IA WPC Facility [Anaerob Land Appl]	1st 1996
Port Townsend, WA Biosolids Composting Facility	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1996
Elizabethton, TN [Co-composting]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1995
Chippewa Falls, WI [Land Appl by Injection]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1995
Cumberland County Util Auth, NJ [Land Appl]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1994
City of New Smyrna Beach, FL [Land Appl]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1994
Lafayette Wastewater Trtment Plant, GA [Land Appl]	1st 1993
Chillicothe Munic Util WW Tmt Plt, MO [Liq Land Appl]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1993
The City of St. Peters, MO [Land Appl.]	1st 1992
The Sussex Co. Mun. Util. Auth., NJ [In-Vess, Comp]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1992
Alpena, MI [Revegetate Industrial Waste Site]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1991
Blackfoot, ID [Land Appl., Outreach]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1991
Hannibal, MO, Bd of Pub. Works [Econ Land Ap]	1st 1990
Redwood San. Sewer Service Dist., CA [Co-Compost]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1990

<b>Sub-Category</b>	Winner [Activity]	Award*/Year
· ·	•	
Technology		
00		
Innovation or		
Development-		
	City of Tacoma Wastewater Management, Tacoma, WA	1st 2004
	King County, WA WPC Div [Forest Bios App System]	1st 1996
	WSSC Montgomery Co., MD Regional Compost. Fac.	

N-Viro	[Scrubber and Mixing Advances/Comp. Odor Cont] City of Lancaster, PA [Composting Odor Cont.] [Alkaline Stabilization of Sludge], OH WSSC Montgomery Co., MD Regional Compost. Fac. [Thermal Odor Control] Austin, TX [Accelerated Air Drying] WSSC Montgomery Co. MD, Regional Compost. Fac. [Chemical Odor Control] Sussex Co., NJ [Compost Odor & Process Control]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1992 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1992 1 <sup>st</sup> 1990 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1990 1 <sup>st</sup> 1989 1 <sup>st</sup> 1988 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1988
<b>Sub-Category</b>	Winner [Activity]	Award*/Year
Research	Dr. Ken Barbarick & Dr. Jim Ippolito, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO Dr. Sally Brown, Univ. of Washington, Seattle, WA Poland Biosolids Smelter Waste Reclaim Proj, R III Littleton/Englewood, CO [Dryland Wheat] WSSC Montg Co, MD Comp Fac [Trt Plt Process/Odor] City of Phila.Water Dept, PA [Comp Opns & VOC's] Dr. Terry Logan, Ohio State Univ, OH Rocky Mt. Forest & Range Exp Sta, NM Los Angeles County San Dist, CA [Comp Odor/VOC] Drs. Al Page & Andrew Chang, Univ of CA, Riv. Dr. Paul Giordano, Tenn Valley Authority, AL Dr. Rufus Chaney, US Dept. of Agriculture, MD Dr. Michael Overcash, NC State University Univ. of MN, USDA Research Team W124/W170 Regional Research Comm., USDA, CSRS Allentown, PA/Penn State U, Palmerton [Reveg]	1 <sup>st</sup> 2005 1 <sup>st</sup> 2004 1 <sup>st</sup> 2000 1 <sup>st</sup> 1999 1 <sup>st</sup> 1998 1 <sup>st</sup> 1995 1 <sup>st</sup> 1994 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1994 1 <sup>st</sup> 1993 1 <sup>st</sup> 1991 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1991 1 <sup>st</sup> 1990 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1990 1 <sup>st</sup> 1989 1 <sup>st</sup> 1988 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1988
<b>Sub-Category</b>	Winner [Activity]	Award*/Year
Public Acceptance	WNET, PBS Affiliate TV Station, NY, NY & EPA Region 3 City of Wyoming, Michigan [Municipal] Western Carolina Reg Sewer Auth, Greenville, SC {Mun] Prowers County, CO [Many Groups, Other] City of Warren, OH [Municipal] Iowa Water Pol Cont Assoc, Ames, IA [Other] Cartersville, GA [Municipal]	1 <sup>st</sup> 2002 1 <sup>st</sup> 2000 2 <sup>nd</sup> 2000 1 <sup>st</sup> 1999 1 <sup>st</sup> 1999 1 <sup>st</sup> 1998 1 <sup>st</sup> 1997

Memphis, TN, TE Maxson WW Trt Plt [Municipal]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1996
City of Tacoma, WA[Municipal]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1996
New England Interstate WPC Commission [Other]	1 <sup>st</sup> 1996
Rocky Mts. Water Environ Association [Other]	2 <sup>nd</sup> 1996
Dr. Lee Jacobs, Mich State Univ., MI	1 <sup>st</sup> 1995

Sub-Category	Winner [Activity]	Award*/Year
Special Recognition		
Recognition	Orange County Sanitation District, Fountain Valley, CA City of Los Angeles Department of Public Works,	2004
	Bureau of Contract Administration, Engineering and	
	Sanitation [expedient plant modifications to meet a recipient community's demands for Class A Biosolids]	2003
	Hawk Ridge Compost Facility, ME [Multi Source Composting]	2003
	Climax Mo Co., Summit Co Biosolids Producers, Westvac Env Svc	
	& Summit Co Recycling Proj [Reclaim High Alt. Mine Site] Biocycle, J of Comp & Recycling, Emmaus, PA [Effective &	2001
	Respons Journalistic Efforts Promoting good Science Practices] NE OH Regional Sewer District, Cleveland, OH [Effective Use	2000
	Waste Heat Boilers During Incineration]	2000
	Oregon Assoc of Clean Water Agencies & Oregon	
	State Univ [Education & Training Program]	1999
	Philadelphia, PA Water Dept [Reclaim Strip Mines]	1998
	Lime Lake Reclamation Project [ Priv Reclaim Indust Lands]	1998
	Tim Frank Septic Tank Cleaning Co [National Support	Compliant
		Services]
	Springfield, MA [Overcome Serious Odors/Acceptance]	1997
	Maine Compost Team, Augusta [Team Excellence]	1997
	Mountains to Sound Greenway Biosolids Forestry	
	Program, WA [Stakeholders Use Biosolids Env Ben]	1996
	Environ. Waste Recycling Inc., NC [Pub Acpt & Opns]	1996
	Northwest Biosolids Mgmt Assoc, WA [Pub Acpt]	1994
	Maine Waste Water Control Assoc, ME [Pub Acpt]	1994
	Oyzboyd Environmental Svc, GA [Vert Bed Dewater] City of Tampa, FL Hookers Point WW Trt. Plant	1994
	[Optimizing Use of Digester Gas]	1992
	Dr. Arthur E. Peterson, Dept of Soil Sci,	
	Madison, WI [Sludge Research in WI]	1992
	The College of Forest Resources, Univ of WA	
	[Cooperative R&D, Appl to Forest Ecosystems]	1992
	NutraLime, St. Paul, MN [Incin. Ash + Water	4004
	Treatment Sludge for Land Improvement]	1991
	Dr. Arthur E. Peterson, Dept of Soil Sci,	

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Madison, WI [Sludge Research in WI]		1992
The College of Forest Resources, Univ of WA		
[Cooperative R&D, Appl to Forest Ecosystems]		1992
NutraLime, St. Paul, MN [Incin. Ash + Water		
Treatment Sludge for Land Improvement]		1991
Metro. Water Reclam. Dist. of Greater Chicago		
Long Term Multiple Contrb. to Beneficial Use]	1991	
BioGro Systems, Inc., MD [Sustained Service &		
Enhanced Public Acceptance]	1990	
City of Los Angeles, CA & Ag Tech Co., AZ [Public-		
Private Team from Ocean Disp. to Ben Use]		1989
East Bay Municipal Utilities Dist., CA [Sustained		
Contribution to Beneficial Use & Composting]		1989

Sub-Category Winner [Activity] Award\*/Year

# Honorable Mention

<b>Butler County Department of Environmental Services,</b>	
Hamilton, OH	2005
Tri-Cities Regional Wastewater Authority, Veolia Water	
North America, Dayton, OH	2005
City of Port Huron Wastewater Treatment Plant, Michigan	2002
Montgomery, AL Water Works & San Sewer Board [L Ap] (LOP)	2000
Jefferson Co Comm, Birmingham, AL Beltona [L Reclaim Prg] (LOI	P) 2000
City of Cinton, NC [L Ap] (SOP)	2000
Village Creek WW Trt Plt, Ft Worth, TX [L Ap] (LOP)	1999
Pepper's Ferry Reg WWTA, Radford, VA [L Ap] (SOP)	1999
Village Creek WW Trt Plt, Ft Worth, TX [L Ap] (LOP)	1998
Greenville, NC Utilities Commission [Spray Irrig] (LOP)	1998
Pole Bridge Creek San Dist, Dekalb Co, GA [Land Ap] (LOP)	1997
City of Gastonia, NC [Land Ap] (LOP)	1997
Letchworth Ave WWTP, Billerica, MA [Comp] (OP)	1997
Winston-Salem, NC, Archie Elledge WWTP [L A] (LOP)	1996
Littleton/Englewood, CO WW Trt Plt [Dryland] (LOP)	1996
Louisville, CO WW Trt Plt [Windrow Comp] (OP)	1996
Rochester Water Reclamation Plant, MN [Pub Acpt]	1996
Bloomington & Normal Water Rec Dist, IL [L AP] (OP)	1995
Knoxville, TN Util Bd [Land Ap, Strip Mine] (LOP)	1995
St Charles MO River Trt Fac [Land Ap] (OP)	1995
City of Salem, OR [Land Ap] (OP)	1994
Broward County, FL [Mkt & Product] (Res)	1994
Benton Harbor-St. Joseph, MI WW Trt Plt. [L Ap] (OP)	1992

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Madison, WI, Metro-Gro [Land Use] (LOP)	1988
Lime Lakes, OH, PPG Corp. [Priv. Svc. Reclaim Alk Site] (OP)	1988
Hannibal, MO [Land Application] (OP)	1988
Bowling Green, KY [Land Application] (OP)	1988
Fallbrook, CA [Vermicomposting] (TD)	1988
Ohio State Univ, Wooster, OH [Composting Biotech] (Res)	1988

<sup>\*</sup>First and Second Place awards and Special & Honorable Mention awards are not always given each year.



# CATEGORY: PRETREATMENT PROGRAM EXCELLENCE AWARDS

#### 1989 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in four categories based on actual daily flow at the Publicly owned treatment works (POTWs): 2 million gallons per day (mgd) or less; 2.01 to 5.00 mgd; 5.01 to 20.00 mgd; and greater than 20 mgd actual flow. .

#### 2.00 mgd per day or less

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Three Rivers, MI

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Contentnea Metropolitan Sewerage District, Grifton, NC

2.01 - 5.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Searcy Board of Public Utilities, Searcy, AR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Northampton Wastewater Treatment Plant, Northampton, MA

5.01 - 20.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place Co-recipient: City of Tyler, TX 1<sup>st</sup> Place Co-recipient: City of LaCrosse, WI

# Greater than 20.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: East Bay Municipal Utility District, Oakland, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Louisville and Jefferson County Metropolitan Sewer District, Louisville, KY

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#### 1990 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in four categories based on actual daily flow at the POTW's: 2 mgd per day or less; 2.01 to 5.00 mgd; 5.01 to 20.00 mgd; and greater than 20 mgd actual flow.

2.00 mgd or less

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Bardstown, KY 2nd Place: Village of Holly, MI

2.01 - 5.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Richmond Utilities, Richmond, KY

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Newberry, SC

5.01 - 20.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Lewisville, TX 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Johnson County, KS

Over 20.00 mgd

**1st Place:** Narragansett Bay Commission, Providence, RI

**2nd Place:** Aurora Sanitary District, Oswego, Ill

# 1991 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were given in four categories in 1991: 2 mgd per day or less; 2.01 to 5.00 mgd; 5.01 to 20.00 mgd; and greater than 20.00 mgd.

2.00 mgd or less

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Leitchfield Utilities, Leitchfield, KY

**2nd Place:** City of Havre de Grace, MD

2.01 - 5.00 mgd

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** City of Alpena, MI

**2nd Place:** City Utilities Commission, Corbin, KY

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5.01 - 20.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Sunnyvale, CA 2nd Place: City of Marion, OH

Over 20.00 mgd

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** City of Harrisburg, PA **2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** City of St. Petersburg, FL

# 1992 NATIONAL WINNERS

Awards were presented in three categories based on actual daily flow of the POTW: 5.00 mgd per day or less; 5.01 to 20.00 mgd; and greater than 20.00 mgd.

 $0 - 5.00 \, mgd$ 

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Rogers Pollution Control Facility, Rogers, AR

**2nd Place:** Warwick Sewer Authority, Warwick, RI

5.01 - 20.00 mgd

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Zanesville, OH

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Rome Wastewater Pollution Control Plant, Rome, GA

Over 20.00 mgd

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Anne Arundel County Department of Utilities, Annapolis, MD **2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Palo Alto Regional Water Quality Control Plant, Palo Alto, CA

#### 1993 NATIONAL WINNERS

Awards were presented in four categories based on the number of Significant Industrial Users (SIUs) as followed: 1-10 SIUs; 11-20 SIUs; 21-50 SIUs; and Greater than 50 SIUs.

1 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Wilmington, OH

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Borough of Hanover, Hanover, PA

11 - 20 SIUs

#### Compilation of Previous National winners, 1986 - 2004

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Fort Collins, CO

There is no second place winner in this category.

21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Muncie Sanitary District, Muncie, IN

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA

Greater than 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: East Bay Municipal Utility District, Oakland, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, Laurel, MD

# 1994 NATIONAL WINNERS

The awards categories are based on the number of Significant Industrial Users (SIUs) as followed: 0-10 SIUs; 11-20 SIUs; 21-50 SIUs; and Greater than 50 SIUs. First and second place winners are as followed:

0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Portland Water District & the City of Westbrook, ME

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Borough of Catasauqua, PA

11 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Beloit, WS 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Sunbury, PA

21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City & County of San Francisco, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Warren, MI

Greater than 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Phoenix, AZ

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: County Sanitation Districts of Orange County, CA

# 1995 NATIONAL WINNERS

# CWA Recognition Awards Compilation of Previous National winners, 1986 - 2004

Awards were presented in five categories. 51-100 SIUs and Greater than 100 SIUs will only have first place awards. There are first and second place winners in all categories except the 51-100 SIUs and Greater than 100 SIUs categories which have only first place.

#### 0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Fort Collins, CO 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Santa Barbara, CA

11 - 20 SIUs

**1<sup>st</sup> Place**: Public Works Commission of Fayetteville, NC **2<sup>nd</sup> Place**: Winnipesaukee River Basin, Franklin, NH

21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Unified Sewerage Agency of Washington County, Hillsboro, OR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Muncie Sanitary District, Muncie, IN

51 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Hampton Roads Sanitation District, Virginia Beach, VA

Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County, Whittier, CA

### 1996 NATIONAL WINNERS

Awards were presented in five categories: 0-10 SIUs; 11-20 SIUs; 21-50 SIUs; 51 to 100 SIUs; and Greater than 100 SIUs. First and second place awards were presented in all categories except the 51 to 100 SIUs and the Greater than 100 SIUs have only have first place awards.

0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Aberdeen, South Dakota Wastewater Treatment Plant

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Hartfort County Department of Public Works, South Run Wastewater Treatment

Plant, Harford County, MD

#### Compilation of Previous National winners, 1986 - 2004

11 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Rogers, AR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Traverse City Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant, Traverse City, MI

21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Salem, OR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: North Shore Sanitary District, Gurnee, Ill

51 - 200 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metro Wastewater Reclamation District, Denver, CO

Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago, Chicago, Ill

# 1997 NATIONAL WINNERS

First place awards were presented in all five categories: 0-10 SIUs; 11-20 SIUs; 21-50 SIUs; 51 to 100 SIUs; and Greater than 100 SIUs. A second place award was presented in the 21 to 50 SIUs category.

0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Fort Collins, CO

11 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Anne Arundel County Department of Public Works, Annapolis, MD

21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Chesterfield County, VA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Pima County Wastewater Management Division, Tucson, AZ

51 -100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: East Bay Municipal Utility District, Oakland, CA

# Compilation of Previous National winners, 1986 - 2004

#### **Greater than 100 SIUs**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: County Sanitation Districts of Orange County, Fountain Valley, CA

# 1998 NATIONAL WINNERS

In 1998, first place awards were presented in all five categories. Second place awards were presented in the 0-10 SIUs, 11-20 SIUs, and 21-50 SIUs categories.

#### 0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Broomfield, Colorado

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Maryville Utilities, Maryville, TN

#### 11 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Fayetteville Paul R. Noland WW Treatment Facility, Fayetteville, AR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Boulder, CO

#### 21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Metropolitan Wastewater Management Commission, Eugene/Springfield, OR

#### 51 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Wichita Water and Sewer Department, Wichita, KS

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Wichita, KS

#### Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Narragansett Bay Water Quality Mgmt District Commission, Providence, RI

# 1999 NATIONAL WINNERS

This year there are first place awards in all five categories. Second place awards are in the 0-10 SIUs, 11-20 SIUs, and 21-50 SIUs categories.

### 0 - 10 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Wilsonville, OR

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2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Merrimack Wastewater Treatment Facility, Merrimack, NH

#### 11 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: South Valley Water Reclamation Facility, West Jordan, UT

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of San Marcos, TX

#### 21 - 50 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Facility, Englewood, CO

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Elkhart, IN

#### 51 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Albuquerque, NM

#### Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metropolitan St. Louis Sewer District, St. Louis, MO

# 2000 NATIONAL WINNERS

Awards are presented in three categories based on the number of SIUs. 0-25 SIUs; 26-100 SIUs, and Greater than 100 SIUs. This year there are first and second place awards in all categories.

### 0 - 25 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Greeley, CO 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Annapolis, MD

#### 26 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metro Wastewater Reclamation District, Denver, CO

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Wyoming, MI

# Greater than 100 SIUs

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**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** City of Fort Worth, TX

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Orange County Sanitation District, Fountain Valley, CA

#### 2001 NATIONAL WINNERS

Awards are presented in three categories based on the number of Significant Industrial Users (SIUs): 0-15 SIUs; 26-100 SIUs; and Greater than 100 SIUs. This year, the program includes awards for first and second place winners in two categories:

#### 0 - 25 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Goleta Sanitary District, Goleta, CA

#### 26 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Clean Water Services, Hillsboro, OR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Camden County Municipal Utilities, Camden, NJ

#### 2002 NATIONAL WINNERS

#### 0 - 25 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Texarkana Water Utilities, Texarkana, Arkansas & TX

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Bangor Wastewater Treatment Plant, Bangor, ME

26 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Chesterfield County Utilities Department, Chesterfield, VA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Palo Alto Regional Water Quality Control Plant, Palo Alto, CA

#### Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Sub-regional Operating Group (SROG), Metropolitan Phoenix, AZ

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: San Antonio Water System, San Antonio, TX

#### 2003 NATIONAL WINNERS

This year awards are presented in three sub-categories. There is no second place winner

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for 0 - 25 SIUs.

#### 0 - 26 SIUs

**1<sup>st</sup> Place**: South Adams County Water and Sanitation District, Commerce City, Colorado No second place winner.

#### 26 - 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metro Wastewater Reclamation District, Denver, Colorado

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Sunnyvale Environmental Division, Sunnyvale, California

#### Greater than 100 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners

Industrial and Pollution Control Department

Seattle, Washington

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: King County Department of Natural Resources and Parks

Wastewater Treatment Division

Seattle, Washington

# **2004 NATIONAL WINNERS**

#### 0 - 26 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Borough of Catasauqua Wastewater Treatment Facility

Catasauqua, Pennsylvania

No second place winner.

#### 6 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Warwick Sewer Authority Industrial Pretreatment Program

City of Warwick, Rhode Island

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Kent County Regional Wastewater Treatment Facility, Dover, Delaware

#### 21 & Greater SIUs

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: East Bay Municipal Utility District, Oakland, California

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie):Columbus Water Works Industrial Pretreatment Program Columbus, Georgia

Hampton Roads Sanitation District, Virginia Beach, Virginia

#### **2005 NATIONAL WINNERS**

#### 6 - 20 SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Wilsonville Water Pollution Control Facility, Wilsonville, OR

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Upper Merion Municipal Utility Authority, King of Prussia, PA

#### 21 & Greater SIUs

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, Martinez, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Broward County Water and Wastewater Services Utility, Compliance and

Monitoring Industrial Pretreatment Program, Pompano Beach, FL

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#### CATEGORY: STORM WATER MANAGEMENT EXCELLENCE AWARDS

In 1991, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) established the National Storm Water Management Excellence Awards program to recognize municipalities and industries that are demonstrating their commitment to protect and improve the quality of the nation's waters by implementing outstanding, innovative and cost-effective Storm Water control program and projects. The award heightens overall public awareness of storm water measures and encourage public support of programs aimed at protecting the public's health and safety of the nation's water quality. Awards are presented in the municipal and industrial categories. A compilation of EPA's national Storm Water Excellence Awards winners are as followed:

# 1991 NATIONAL WINNERS

One Storm Water award was presented in the municipal category.

#### Compilation of Previous National winners, 1986 - 2005

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Murray City, UT

# 1992 NATIONAL WINNERS

A first and second place award was presented in the municipal category.

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Orlando, FL

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Prince Georges County, MD

#### 1993 NATIONAL WINNERS

First place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories. A second place award was presented in the municipal category.

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Santa Clara Valley Nonpoint Source Pollution Control Program, San Jose, CA
2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Austin Environmental & Conservation Services Department, Austin, TX

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Lockheed Missiles and Space Company, Incorporated, Sunnyvale, CA

#### 1994 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories.

#### **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Storm Water Management Program, Stafford Township, NJ

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Alameda County Urban Runoff Clean Water Program, Hayward, CA

#### **Industrial Sub-Category**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Motorola - Ed Bluestein Facility, Austin, TX

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** Hershey Foods Corporation, Corporate Headquarter, Hershey, PA

### 1995 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories.

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# **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Surface Water Management Division, Soos Creek Basin Program, King County,

WA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: Olympia, WA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program, City of Santa

Monica, CA

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Kirkpatrick Concrete, Inc., Birmingham, AL **2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** General Metals of Tacoma, Inc., Tacoma, WA

# 1996 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories.

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place (tie): City of Egan, MN

1<sup>st</sup> Place (tie): City of Portland Municipal Water System, Portland, OR 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Austin Drainage Utility Department, Austin, TX

#### **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): Empire Castings, Tulsa, OK

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Department, District 3

and Drainage Section, State Highway 47 Retention and Infiltration Areas,

Bosque Farms, NM

#### 1997 NATIONAL WINNERS

#### **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Sacramento, California and County of Sacramento, CA
2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Birmingham Street-Innovative Storm Sewer, Maplewood, MN

#### **Industrial Sub-Category**

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: Mahoning Landfill, Inc., New Springfield, OH

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: NewCon, Inc., Reynoldsburg, OH

#### 1998 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories.

### **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Low-Impact Development, Department of Environmental Resources, Prince

Georges County, MD

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Fort Worth, TX

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Stadium Auto Parts, Inc., Denver, CO 2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): Doggett Auto Parts, Inc., Bryan, TX

2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): Capo's Auto Parts, Inc., Albuquerque, NM

# 1999 NATIONAL WINNERS

First and second place awards were presented in the municipal and industrial categories.

### **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Tanners Lake Water Quality Improvement District, Ramey-Washington Metro

Watershed District, Oakdale, MN

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Lowes Creek Storm Water Demonstration Project, Eau Claire, WI

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Ciba Specialty Chemicals, Newport, DE
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): Anheuser-Busch Brewery, Columbus, OH
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place (tie): Coca Cola USA Fountain, Columbus, OH

#### 2000 NATIONAL WINNERS

Only first place winners were selected for the municipal and industrial category.

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: Brevard County Surface Water Improvement, Viera, FL

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District, Southerly Wastewater Treatment Center,

Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan

#### **2001 NATIONAL WINNERS**

There were no national Storm Water Management Excellence awards in 2001.

#### 2002 NATIONAL WINNERS

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Greater Battle Creek Area Watershed Mgmt Project, Battle Creek, Springfield,

and Calhoun County, MI

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Jefferson Parish Department of Environmental Affairs, Jefferson, LA

# **Industrial Sub-Category**

There are no 2002 national awards in the industrial sub-category.

### **2003 NATIONAL WINNERS**

This year, there is no second place award in the Industrial sub-category.

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>ST</sup> Place: Ventura Countywide Storm Water Quality Management Program

Ventura County, California

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: San Antonio Water System

San Antonio, Texas

#### **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: UTC Fuel Cells, LLC

South Windsor, Connecticut

# **2004 NATIONAL WINNERS**

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#### **Municipal Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Sanitation District No. 1 of Northern Kentucky, Port Wright, Kentucky

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Sacramento Storm Water Quality Improvement Program

Sacramento, California

# 2005 NATIONAL WINNERS

# **Municipal Sub-Category**

This year, there are no winners in the municipal subcategory

#### **Industrial Sub-Category**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Northrup Grunman/Newport News/ Continental Maritime of San Diego, Inc.

San Diego, CA

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#### CATEGORY: COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOW CONTROL EXCELLENCE AWARDS

#### 1991 NATIONAL WINNERS

This is the first year for the CSO awards program. Awards are presented in the municipal category. One award was presented.

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Monroe County/City of Rochester, NY

#### 1992 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: New York City, NY

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Cities of Minneapolis-St. Paul-So. Saint Paul, MN

#### 1993 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: San Francisco Clean Water Enterprises, San Francisco, CA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Sanitary District of Decatur, Decatur, Ill

#### 1994 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago, Chicago, Ill Combined Sewer Overflow Correction Program, City of Lansing, MI

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**1995** NATIONAL WINNERS: There were no national CSO awards presented.

# 1996 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Bangor, ME
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: City of South Bend, IN
2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: City of Bath, ME

1997 NATIONAL WINNERS

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** Augusta Sanitary District, Augusta, ME

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: Fox Metro Water Reclamation District, City of Aurora, Aurora,

ME

2<sup>nd</sup> Place Co-recipient: CSO Abatement and Wet Weather Treatment, West Lafayette, IN

# 1998 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Saginaw, MI

# 1999 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Department of Public Utilities, City of Richmond, VA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Columbus Water Works, Columbus, GA

#### 2000 NATIONAL WINNERS

**1<sup>st</sup> Place:** CSO Abatement Program, City of Saco, ME **2<sup>nd</sup> Place:** CSO Remediation Program, Corvallis, OR

# **2001 NATIONAL WINNERS**

1<sup>st</sup> Place: Columbus Water Works, Columbus, GA

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Brewer, ME

# **2002 NATIONAL WINNERS**

1<sup>st</sup> Place Co-recipient: Lincoln Sanitary District, Lincoln, ME
1<sup>st</sup> Place Co-recipient: Sanitary District of Michigan City, IN

There was no second place award.

# 2003 NATIONAL WINNERS

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1<sup>st</sup> Place: City of Bangor, Maine

2<sup>nd</sup> Place: Philadelphia Water Department

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

# 2004 NATIONAL WINNERS

1<sup>ST</sup> Place: City of Mt. Clemens, Michigan 2<sup>nd</sup> Place: City of Port Huron, Michigan

# 2005 NATIONAL WINNERS

No winners selected this year.